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## LOCAL NEWS

The conditions of rich promise  
For married bliss would be,  
Where the woman is a "treasure"  
And the man a treasury.

Mrs. Lou Cox is visiting relatives at Pomp.

When you want pasture for your cow see Tredway's Cash Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sebastian have moved from the Bay's addition to Water street.

Ella Ruth Childers and Ruth McKenzie of Lexington visited their families over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Wheeler of here visited over the week end with Victor Wheeler and family of Ezel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elam, Mrs. John H. Watson and Miss Virginia Nickell were in Lexington Tuesday.

Miss Pauline Noble was the guest of Mrs. Lou Cox and Floris and Mary Jane Cox, Monday for a delicious fish supper.

Harold and Junior Day of Morehead were calling on their aunt, Mrs. Harlan McClain, and other relatives here Saturday.

Miss Nell Gevedon of Index and Mrs. Mildred Wheeler of Middletown, Ohio, visited with Mr. and Mrs. James F. Wheeler Friday.

Work has begun on the Girl Scout cabin on a hill overlooking town. The side walls have been put up and it should be finished soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Wells and children, Jerry and Danny, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Peyton, at Dehart one day this week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Garriott, Mrs. Nancy P. Turner and Mrs. Hazel Ratliff and son, Tommy Gale, were in Lexington one day last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elam have moved from an apartment with Mrs. Lou Cox to the house owned by Mrs. Nancy Turner in north part of town, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stacy and little daughter, were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McKenzie, and other relatives here this week end.

Misses Martha Fannin and Margaret and Lucille Nickell of Jackson were at home from Thursday til Monday, Friday they attended high school day at Morehead.

Mrs. Auty McClain, Mrs. Jennie May, and Mrs. Grace Wright were in Ashland from Sunday to Wednesday of last week, and visited Mrs. McClain's son, W. H. Sebastian, and family.

Dr. J. L. Clark of Lexington, presiding elder of this district, will preach at Goodwin's Chapel, Sunday, May 14, immediately after which the third M. E. Church South Quarterly Conference will be held.

Mrs. Gay Tredway was taken seriously ill a few days ago with an appendicitis attack and was immediately taken to a Lexington hospital where she underwent an operation. At last reports she was getting along fine.

Homer Haney, while working on the roof of the new Carpenter-Howard bungalow, fell off the roof and suffered several minor injuries. No bones were broken but Mr. Haney will be unable to work for a few weeks.

Miss Virginia Nickell, who had been keeping books in the IGA store, has accepted temporary employment in the post office at West Liberty, and will enter on her duties the latter part of the week. The increase in the mail generally has necessitated the need for an additional part-time clerk.

Mrs. Ada Cochran and children moved to the Floyd Arnett residence at the corner of Main street recently vacated by Mrs. Gilla Burton and family, who have moved to Mrs. Will Carter's home on Court street. Mr. and Mrs. Will Carter moved the latter part of last week to their home which has been remodeled southwest of town.

## LOSING 8,000 ACRES A DAY

It will take twenty or thirty years of continuous effort to get the danger from possible soil erosion under control, says Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, chief of the Soil Conservation Service of the Department of Agriculture.

Testifying before a House committee Dr. Bennett declared that about 100,000,000 acres of crop land, some of it at the best, were "completely finished" as a result of soil erosion. He estimated the annual direct cost of soil erosion to farmers alone, not counting damage to reservoirs, stream channels, irrigation ditches, highways and railways, at \$400,000,000.

During the past fifty years the damage from erosion could be placed at \$20,000,000,000 and if the present rate of erosion is allowed to continue, the next fifty years will suffer the same loss. "We are losing every day, as a result of erosion," says Dr. Bennett, "the equivalent of 200 40-acre farms."

Now, this is interesting information. It should attract the attention of farmers in Morgan County. There is no use to wait for the government or some other agency to fight the erosion that affects your land. The time to start the war on erosion is at hand and every farmer can do something in the struggle. Moreover, by doing something, the individual will help himself.

## COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION

Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation makes available variety of foodstuffs for needy of county.

Announcement of Wade Blair, local Commodity Supervisor, gives list.

Twenty-four different commodities have been distributed in Morgan county during the past twelve months ending April 30, 1939. The average number of families served per month is 866, and they have received during this period the following: Dried apples 9 pounds, canned peas 12 cans, celery 5 pounds, dry skim milk 15 pounds, rice 17 pounds, potatoes 65 pounds, eggs 4 dozen, oranges 3 pounds, potato flour, 5 pounds, prunes 29 pounds, cheese 3 pounds, raisins 11 pounds, wheat flour 270 pounds, sweet potatoes 12 pounds, Graham flour 25 pounds, butter 25 pounds, cabbage 12 pounds, corn meal 20 pounds, navy beans 31 pounds, grapefruit juice 17 cans, dried peaches 5 pounds, evaporated milk 10 cans, wheat cereal 10 pounds, and fresh grapefruit 41 pounds. The average monthly value, based on the 12 month period is \$3.26 per family. Approximately 4,700 persons shared in these distributions each month.

All of the above items have at some time during the period been surplus on the market which of course had a demoralizing effect on the prices farmers and producers received for their product. It is the purpose of the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation to remove such surplus products from the market and instead of dumping them or destroying them they are shipped to those sections of the states where their distribution will have no effect on local markets and where there is a need for them. Thus the grower is helped and the needy families are helped making it a two-way proposition. Consumers generally are not penalized by a rise in local prices they pay for such products, the fact is that in some cases they too have benefited from reduced prices of these surpluses.

The Corporations activities are many and varied when it is considered that it serves the whole of the United States and its possessions in some way either in the purchase or distribution section. It is the functioning agency of the Department of Agriculture in this capacity. The revenues for its financial operations comes from customs receipts on imports.

There is evidence of much good being done in Morgan county not only from a standpoint of supplementing the diet but from an educational value, as many good recipes and nutritive information bulletins are also distributed along with the unusual commodities to the recipients.

## Meeting at South Fork

There will be a meeting at the South Fork Church on Decoration Day, May 30, 1939, at 10 o'clock a.m. JESSE KILGORE, Pastor

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carter have finished their moving and are now "at home" on their farm on the Index road, near the new bridge.

## WATER FOR US ALL

Word has just been received from the engineers who drafted the Water Works plans for West Liberty, that the plans had now been fully approved by the State Board of Health and that the State WPA officials were ready to consider a regular application for the work on the project to start.

It is now more than a year since the Town Board first started on the present project. Before that two previous Town Boards had made efforts to get a water works project approved without success. The present board was determined from the start to see the matter through, but we had no idea of the immense amount of work and effort that would be required to accomplish what seemed just an ordinary every day undertaking.

The present water system for West Liberty is woefully inadequate. Our only source of supply is a six-inch bored well, with water mains from one inch up to two inches. Our source of supply from the new system will be the Licking River with water mains up to eight inches in diameter. Pumping the water in our present system has been a serious problem and a costly one.

In the new system there will be two pumps installed, with the idea to be assured of water at all times. If at any time in the future one pump should break down, there will be the other pump to use until repairs can be made. West Liberty has outgrown the time when we can do without water from our public source of supply for even a day. There are only a few private wells and many of these are not a safe source of water for general house use.

All the work on the new water system will be done by WPA labor. Besides the labor some money for materials will also accrue to the benefit of West Liberty.

The town of West Liberty will be required to furnish most of the material, pipes, pumps, meters, etc., and the financing will be by the issuing of revenue bonds, which will be a lien on the earning of the system and on the system itself until paid.

Public improvements are always in order and we shall probably not live to see today when no further improvements are necessary or desirable, but for West Liberty there is not another public improvement so urgently needed as a water supply and sewer system. Let us have the whole citizenship lined up as 100% boosters and the accomplishment will be easy.

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Sunday morning soon after Miss Hattie Gibbs was home from church the following visitors drove in: Rev. and Mrs. Garriott, Misses Nell Caskey, Margaret M. Brong and Lovel Brong.

They had planned a little birthday surprise for Miss Gibbs and took with them a big cake with candles. The chicken yard had been raided and a nice fat hen prepared for the occasion.

The father and mother had been let into the secret. The table was set and the rest of the dinner ready.

After the happy greetings, all enjoyed the delicious dinner.

As the guests departed in the afternoon they wished Miss Gibbs many happy returns of the day.

## Derby Party

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gentry of Jackson, Michigan, and the following guests, also from Jackson, made a happy party last week to attend the Derby races at Louisville: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murray, Ed Mahoney, Don Pierce and Howard Gentry. They arrived at West Liberty Thursday afternoon and stopped with Mrs. R. A. Baldwin, who is Mrs. Gentry's mother. Mrs. Baldwin prepared a sumptuous 6 o'clock dinner and invited Mrs. Gentry's brother, J. Drexel Moore and wife and children. Friday morning the party went on to Louisville to enjoy the races Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Black spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. T. H. Day, and family of Lenox.

Word has been received here of the death Monday night, in Grayson, of Mrs. J. O. Snodgrass, wife of the former pastor of the Christian churches in West Liberty and Salsersville. Funeral services at 2 p.m. today in the Grayson Christian church.

## TRADE IS SWAPPING GOODS

The people of the United States are always interested to hear that the nation has what is known as "a favorable trade balance." They seem to think that there is great national virtue to be found in the fact that the United States sold other lands more than we bought from them.

There might have been a time when this was a sound and logical delight, but, just now, with most of the world's gold and our position as a creditor nation to consider, it doesn't make too much sense.

Let's take the case of Rumania, for example. We do not like to believe that this Balkan nation will ally herself with the totalitarian State and there are some people who dislike the recent commercial agreement between Germany and Rumanians.

In the first two months of this year the Rumanians purchased \$1,500,150 worth of American products. This, it is true, is a small business for a nation that thinks and spends in billions. Nevertheless, the point is clearer when we learn that, during the same two months, the United States spent \$345,000 for products that Rumania sells.

How long can this last? Well, the Rumanians have to pay for their purchases with gold, goods or service. They have little in the way of services and not too much gold. That leaves them one practical way to buy American products—that is thru the selling of Rumanian products.

If we want to build up the international trade of the United States we must do business with customers able to pay for what they buy. So far as Rumania is concerned, this means that we, or somebody else, must buy what she has to sell, or in plainer terms, the products that she has to barter in the world mart. Germany moves to swap goods with the Rumanians and it is easy to see that unless we are willing to meet that kind of competition we won't sell many American products in Rumania.

Of course, we can get along without the trade of Rumania. That would be easy, if that were all there is to the problem. Unfortunately, what applies to Rumanian trade is applicable to all nations. There must be reciprocity in commerce, which is, in its essentials, a swapping of goods for the mutual benefit of the traders. A nation, unwilling to swap, will, eventually, be unable to sell.

## BOY WANTED TO DIE

The other day the police of a western city saved a boy, only thirteen years old, who had attempted to take his life by hanging.

Now, if adults are interested in the welfare of the younger people, the question naturally arises, "What caused this youngster to prefer death to life?"

Well, the lad told the police, listing four reasons: (1) His father was serving a life term in prison; (2) his step-father was in jail for drunkenness; (3) he didn't know where his mother was; (4) he couldn't go to school because he was ashamed of his clothes and his mother wouldn't mend them.

We are not familiar with what might be called the "case-history" of this youngster. Neither are we cognizant of the efforts that may have been made by welfare workers and organizations to extend proper assistance. However, we venture the assertion that nearly every community has, in its midst, young boys and young girls who are facing desperate situations without much evidence that anybody else is interested in their plight.

We are quite frank to say that the answer to such conditions does not roll easily off the tip of the tongue. Few persons know enough to attempt to outline fully the causes of these problem cases, much less the proper solution for society.

It might not be a bad idea for all adults of West Liberty to keep an eye out for such cases in our midst, not so much for the purpose of calling them to public attention as for the opportunity, in quiet and helpful ways, to make a contribution toward the improvement of another individual. It is a service that brings its own reward.

## Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McGuire and Mrs. Arml Hopkins of Matthew were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooper at Logville Sunday.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

Not every pocketbook bulges with money.

The biggest joke on matrimony is some of the couples that try it.

Very often the man who speaks in a safe voice is muddle-headed.

You can agree with almost anybody if you have no opinions of your own.

It might amaze you to see a picture of yourself, taken, say twenty years ago.

Every family has an individual who bears the burdens of the other members.

Everybody would reduce taxes but nobody wants to do without any public service.

Nobody knows what will happen; some people don't even know what has happened.

The world is plagued by citizens who believe that without them the world would be ruined.

Neutrality that is impartial and, the same time says, "Let's help our friends," is an impossibility.

People find new financial obligations whenever somebody asks them to contribute to a worthy cause.

Frankly, there are many things about which we know absolutely nothing, or even less than that.

Advertising is the way to induce people to buy now what they want and to get it from a particular store.

Civilization isn't what it ought to be when a world has to listen to a guy like Hitler before knowing whether there will be peace or war.

What the United States needs, most of all, is a few million patriotic citizens, ready to serve the nation without thinking about the profits.

Unfortunately, if you have had any experience, you know that there are selfish individuals, entirely unconcerned about the welfare of any person other than those connected with the selfish individual.

It's about time for the people of the United States, including those in Morgan County, to forget their habit of lambasting the government. All that you have to do is to compare what you have with what other people have.

## OUT OF POLITICS

It has been some time since I wrote an article in this paper stating that I was a candidate for the important office of Representative.

Since that time my real estate business has grown so much and some other outside interests and my farming as well that I do not have the time to put into the campaign, to find the needs of the district and put myself properly before the people of Morgan county.

I am thoroughly convinced that I could and would get the nomination should I go on and I take this method of thanking one and all of my admirers and supporters for the assurance that I would make you a good officer.

Now to the voters I am not trying to tell you who to vote for. Just vote as you please so far as I am concerned.

Thanking you again, I remain your Farmer friend,  
S. D. CECIL

## NEW CARS SOLD

The Morgan Motor Co. reports the sale and delivery of new cars and trucks for week ending May 6:

To Rodney Cottle, West Liberty, 1 1/2 ton Dodge dump truck.

A. D. Harris, Hazel Green, Dodge Pickup.

Geo. Keeton, Daysbro, Dodge Pickup.

J. N. Perry, Lenox, Dodge Sedan.

## At World's Fair

Miss Valma Lou Cisco of Logville in company with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Van Cycle, of Florida left here about two weeks ago and are enjoying the sights at the World's Fair at New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Elliott had as Sunday dinner guests C. H. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Ova Black and son, Richard Lee, and Charles Black.

## HOLBROOK

Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Holbrook aged 59 years, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. O. Pelfrey, here, on Wednesday of this week. Funeral services will be at Union church, Dingus, today at 10 o'clock with Revs. Harlan Murphy and A. C. Bradley officiating.

## DAY

Mrs. J. R. Day died at her home just east of town yesterday. Mrs. Day underwent a serious operation at a Lexington hospital several weeks ago and it was at first thought that she was improving. She was brought home here but the wound from the operation did not heal and was the direct cause of her death. The only son, Ollie C. Day of Hazard and her daughters, Hazel Steele of Louisville and Frances, were with their mother when the end came. Mrs. Day was a member of the Eastern Star and prominent in community circles.



Obey traffic laws. Cooperate with traffic officers. Traffic regulations often seem burdensome, but remember, their main purpose is to save lives and prevent injuries.

It is easy to criticize the traffic officer and try to make fun of him. It is so easy to criticize the law enforcement agencies as well as the civic bodies which created the ordinances that regulate our driving. All these restrictions were put into law because we, as automobile drivers, could not regulate ourselves. We violated all principles of decency and courtesy; therefore, it became necessary for the states, the counties, the cities and the villages to pass laws and force us to observe certain regulations.

Now that we have these requirements let us obey them and thereby prevent accidents. Safe driving demands obedience and cooperation. It's Smart to Drive Carefully.

## SHEEP TOUR

We have heard in the last year or so a lot of talk about western sheep. A few thought they would do fine here on Morgan County farms while others were in doubt as to how they would get along here.

Thursday, May 13, we are going to see how well these sheep have done in this county. We will have a sheep tour in this county. All who are interested in really seeing with your own eyes these sheep will meet at S. S. Oldfield's at Index, 1 p.m., Thursday, May 13. Last fall Mr. Oldfield bought 30 of these western ewes. Let's see how the ewes have done for Mr. Oldfield. The group will go from Mr. Oldfield's to L. W. Blankenship on Caskey Fork. Here we will see 20 western ewes and their lambs.

R. C. Miller, Sheep Specialist and Wm. C. Johnston, Specialist in pasture production, both from the College of Agriculture, will be with us. Mr. Miller, who assisted in the selection of these sheep, will give the group instructions on the types of western sheep and also important hints in sheep production. Mr. Johnston will give instructions on providing rich pasture for sheep.

We have been informed that a group of farmers from Magoffin and Wolfe Counties will attend the tour. Kentucky farmers are getting interested in sheep.

There will be plenty of cars to provide transportation from Mr. Oldfield's to Mr. Blankenship's so be sure and attend both meetings.

Each ewe will be numbered. Each lamb will have the same number as its mother. The wool from each ewe will be numbered. This is all done in order that we may be able to see and know just what each ewe is doing.

Come out and see what you think of these sheep. Other farmers having western sheep are P. H. Ferguson, W. T. Ward and Floyd Keeton.

YANDAL WRATHER, County Agent

Mrs. Bruce McKenzie, who has been suffering a good deal with fractured ribs, is still unable to leave her bed.

Mrs. R. A. Baldwin went to Menifee county Saturday to meet Miss Hazel Edwards, who is assisting in her tourist home.



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### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

The Courier is authorized to announce  
JESSE K. LEWIS

of Carter county as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the 37th Judicial District on the Democratic ballot in the August Primary.

#### FOR REPRESENTATIVE

The Courier is authorized to announce  
C. C. MAY

of Woodbend as a candidate for Representative to the next General Assembly from Morgan county on the Democratic ticket in the August primary.

## FARMERS' COLUMN

### KENTUCKY FARM NEWS

A survey of 22,321 farm homes in 12 Kentucky counties found bathrooms in only 7.6 percent of them. Eight percent ran sewage into streams, and 5.6 percent disposed of sewage on the surface of the soil. Less than 5 percent had running water.

With recent floods as a warning, Leslie county farmers have responded to county-wide meetings in the interest of tree planting and other soil conservation measures. Less corn and other soil-depleting crops and more grass and hay are planned.

Better ways of marketing strawberries are being studied by Trimble county farmers, who are planning to increase production over a period of years. It is likely that the berries will be sold cooperatively, beginning this year if there is a crop.

Elimination of two bulls would make Russell a scrub-free sire county as far as cattle are concerned. A committee of farmers is trying to complete the job this spring. Plans also call for the purchase of better cows.

A survey in Shelby county showed one large orchard damaged by mice and another by hogs. The hogs, which had access to rubbing oil, transferred the oil to trees, causing the bark to die. Several orchards were found in need of pruning.

Livestock improvement plans in McCreary county include the purchase of western ewes and the elimination of many of the scrub bulls. Grass and hay crops will be enlarged, and superphosphate used to improve production.

The late, wet spring has not dampened the enthusiasm for gardens among members of homemakers clubs in Kentucky, according to reports of county home demonstration agents. Encouraging growing and eating more vegetables is one of the major features of home demonstration work. Last year, 4,551 Kentucky farm families had gardens containing 15 or more vegetables, and included several vegetables they had never grown before.

#### Grow Good Alfalfa

Sam Barbee, Adair county, Kentucky, found easy way to grow alfalfa, writes County Agent R. B. Rankin. He applied manure, limestone and phosphate on thin land, and now has "some of the finest alfalfa I ever saw," says Rankin. Barbee is so pleased that he is planning to increase his alfalfa acreage following this year's tobacco crop. He will broadcast 500 pounds of phosphate to the acre before setting tobacco, for the benefit of both tobacco and alfalfa, and then lime the land and sow alfalfa as soon as the tobacco is harvested.

#### FARMERS TURN TO LIVESTOCK

A steadily growing interest in more and better livestock in Kentucky is reported by the State College of Agriculture at Lexington. Numerous inquiries for breeding stock have been received at the college this spring, and large numbers of farmers are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep. Increased pro-

duction of hay and grass is given credit for much of the interest in livestock.

In some sections farmers are interested in types of cattle that produce both beef and milk. Some of the beef breed associations report exhaustion of their supplies of bulls. Cows and heifers also are in demand, as more farmers turn to home production of feeders.

In practically all cases, the calls are for registered breeding stock. It is estimated that 65 percent of the bulls in Kentucky now are purebred. Twenty years ago, when the college launched its purebred sires work, less than 19 percent of the sires were purebred.

Last year, 686 registered bulls were placed on Kentucky farms, and purebred cows and heifers were put on 560 farms, according to Wayland Rhoads extension field agent in cattle production.

#### SHIRRED EGGS

Shirred eggs are delicious and different. Many people who are tired of the usual fried or poached egg might try shirring them, suggests the Kentucky College of Agriculture.

Cut a slice of bread of triple-thickness, and hollow out a mold in the center of it. Into this, break one egg. Season with salt and pepper, put in a greased pan and slide it into a slow oven until the egg is set and the bread slightly browned. Serve immediately.

Another suggestion as to shirring eggs is as follows:

Use a small egg-shirrer or small ramekins. Grease each dish and put in a layer of buttered crumbs. An egg should then be broken over the crumbs, salt and pepper added to taste, and the whole covered with buttered crumbs. Bake in a slow oven until the crumbs are browned and the eggs set. Serve in the ramekins.

#### Tobacco Growing

An agricultural improvement program outlined by County Agent C. S. Bell in Anderson county features tobacco management, beginning with plant beds and continuing thru marketing. Management demonstrations will be given in every community. Among goals set up in the county are: Winter cover crops for all cultivated land; farmers to earn 95 percent of their soil-building payments; increased use of limestone and phosphate; increased growing of alfalfa; demonstrations of Italian ryegrass; larger acreage of hybrid corn; a long-time program to control soil erosion.

## With KENTUCKY Editors

New York, April 30—A Canadian Scotsman won the screw news sweepstakes by five lengths this week—he sent the Government 10 cents because he'd been filling his fountain pen in postoffice inkwells for 20 years.

Lovel Rose, 46, of Bath county, there for nine years after having been convicted of deserting infant children, was arrested Thursday of last week by Deputy Sheriff Alvin Hall at Emerson. Sheriff A. H. Duff of Owensville took over custody of Rose from local authorities.—Lewis County Herald.

Frankfort, Ky., Midnight of June 26 was fixed as the deadline for candidates in district composed of more than one county to file their declarations with the Secretary of State. An opinion as to the exact date forty days before the August 5th primary, was given by Assistant Attorney General Guy H. Herdman upon request of Secretary of State Arnett.

The Carter County Herald at Olive Hill last week paid its compliments to the out of town solicitor for the printing of cards and all kinds of stationery, to be printed in Cincinnati, Chicago, or no one knows where and then sent on C.O.D. Always this printing is done on inferior stock and oftentimes a name spelled incorrectly, but the customer has paid his money and has no recourse. The Herald is of the opinion that local business people or candidates who have such poor judgment as to send their money out of the community for something they could buy more cheaply and with better satisfaction at home are not good business men and would not make good officials.

There seems to be more hope for debtors, in a ruling by the federal court of appeals in Washington. It says they have grounds for damages if they are hounded by creditors and collectors until they're sick.

A debtor complained that dunning letters got him down until he suffered high blood pressure. The judge, condemning such hurtful zeal, de-

clared: "Lawyers have begun to learn from doctors and psychologists that fear influences every organ and tissue." He concluded that it is unlawful for creditors or their representatives to scare debtors by threatening dire penalties for non-payment.

The resulting disease would probably be called "creditoritis," and is very prevalent now.

It should not be overlooked that there is also a disease which might be known as "debtoritis," which ravages the organs, tissues and souls of creditors whose debtors could pay, but wont.—Evansville Courier.

The approach of State Highways 11 and 40 to a junction with U. S. Highway No. 60 at Mt. Sterling is over the tracks of the C. & O. Railway on the east edge of town. Negotiations are in process and blue prints are being prepared to have the State Highway Department build a viaduct for an overhead pass over the railroad tracks.

The big problem for the city seems to be the acquisition of the deeds for the right-of-way. The state asks for 80 feet and this width cuts about ten feet on each side into and through the business buildings on each side of Locust streets of the town and the property is valuable.

If the state will agree to a 60 foot right-of-way present indications are that the viaduct will be built, and this would seem to be the sensible thing to do.

#### WASHINGTON NOTES

**HOME FOR NEGROES**  
Senator Bilbo, of Mississippi, recently urged Federal aid for colonization of large numbers of Negroes in Liberia, speaking to the Senate on behalf of the program sponsored by the peace movement of Ethiopia, organized in Chicago. With something like 500 Negroes listening in the galleries, the Mississippi Senator called attention to a petition, said to contain 2,500,000 signatures of Negroes. He urged that the United States negotiate with Great Britain and France for the purchase of 400,000 square miles adjacent to Liberia, to be used by colonists from America, whose migration would be financed by the country. "As certainly as the sun shines," said Senator Bilbo, "there are only two solutions to the race problem, physical separation or amalgamation of the two races."

#### LINDBERG

Colonel Charles A. Lindberg, on duty as Colonel of the Army Air Force, gave the news photographers a chase in Washington this month. On one occasion, newspaper men and camera men were admitted to a room prior to the arrival of the aviator for a conference. However, when he saw the photographers he took cover in an adjoining office and before he would emerge every camera man was sent out of the room barred from the building.

#### WAR BOOK

"American Armies and Battlefields in Europe," a volume of 547 pages, illustrated with 561 official photographs and over 120 maps, of which 27 are in color, has been published by the American Battle Monuments Commission. General Pershing, chairman of the Commission, says that the book is the result of many years of effort and is "a combined guide to the American World War battlefields in Europe and a concise history and reference works covering the activities of the American Overseas forces, during the period 1917-19." The book is now on sale and will be sent to individuals for \$2.75. Orders should be addressed to the Superintendents of Public Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C.

#### FOOD STAMPS

The new food stamp plan for the distribution of farm surpluses thru the normal channels of trade will begin in a selected city sometime in May. Already officials have begun preliminary work in Rochester, New York, on arrangements. Two variations of the plan will be tested. Under one, WPA workers may request that an amount equal to at least one dollar and not more than one dollar and a half a week for each member of the family be deducted from their wages, and they will receive orange stamps of a corresponding amount which will be good for the purchase of any food. Blue stamps representing fifty percent of the value of the orange stamps will be given free, but they will be accepted in exchange only for food designated as surplus. The stamps will be redeemed by the Government.

Under the other plan, from one dollar to one-fifty in orange stamps could be bought by any person receiving general relief, old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, aid to the blind. For every dollar paid for orange stamps by those who are eligible, fifty cents worth of blue stamps would be given free.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox and children of Lothair have been visiting friends and relatives here.

#### WAR WOUNDS

Medical officials from thirty-two foreign governments will be in Washington in May for a study of means to cope with wounds and diseases in war. It will be the first time that the International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy has met in the United States.

#### REFUGEE CHILDREN

Former President Hoover and former Governor Alfred M. Landon have endorsed the Wagner-Rogers bill, providing for the entry of 20,000 German refugee children into this country during the next two years, without reference to quota restrictions of the immigration law. The measure would permit entry of 10,000 children under fourteen years of age this year and in 1940, upon satisfactory assurances that they would be adequately cared for by responsible citizens or private organizations. Mr. Landon called attention to the "danger of a demand subsequently that the parents of these children receive special consideration."

#### 5.7 MILES

A new "greatest depth" in the Atlantic, as far as existing records go, was recently discovered in the Puerto Rico trough, off Naires Deep, north of Puerto Rico, by the Cruiser Milwaukee. The new depth was 5.7 miles.

#### ANTARCTICA

Lincoln Ellsworth, explorer, recently conferred with Government officials in regards to the survey of lands in Antarctica, discovered by Americans, preliminary to determining what, if any, this country may claim as permanent possessions. The State Department's study of the question has been proceeding for some time, and Mrs. Ellsworth was invited to discuss his recent explorations, when he claimed 81,000 square miles of territory for the United States. Officials have recognized for many years that the question of Antarctic territory would have to be adjusted some time, and the unsettled state of the world is believed to have hastened study of the problem. Germany recently claimed 230,000 square miles after an expedition spent four months in Antarctica. Other powers claiming large areas are Norway, Great Britain, France, and the United States. All of them are interested in the probability that the South Pole territories may contain valuable deposits of oil, copper, tin, nickel, coal and other resources.

William Litteral of Cincinnati, is visiting his father, Wiley Litteral.

Mrs. S. R. Collier is still in the hospital here but keeps improving.

#### NOTICE

All holders of Morgan County, Kentucky warrants are hereby notified that the Morgan County Fiscal Court is intending to have listed the floating indebtedness of Morgan County and you are requested to list your claims with the Commercial Bank at West Liberty.

Signed by the Morgan County Fiscal Court.  
By REN F. NICKELL, County Attorney.

#### Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.  
J. P. Haney, etc., Plaintiffs

VS.  
Lizzie Frances Haney, etc. Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of Federal of the Morgan Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1939, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse, in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 22d day of May, 1939, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit: A certain tract or lot of land located in the town of West Liberty, Morgan county, Kentucky, and fronting upon both Court and Main Streets of said town which tract is further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on Main street at a set stone at a point 1 1/2 feet north of a fence existing located on the L. P. Haney hotel property lot, formerly known as a sample room; thence in an easterly direction, and parallel with Court street and running 18 inches north of the north wall of said sample room and continuing said line, a distance of approximately 114 feet to the line of J. N. Perry; thence with the line of J. N. Perry, a northerly direction to Court street; thence a westerly direction with Court street to Main street a distance of approximately 114 feet; thence with Main street in a southerly direction a distance of approximately 95 feet to the point of beginning;

On the said lot is located the brick building formerly known as the Commercial Inn or Cox Hotel.

This property is being sold to pay indebtedness against said estate of L. P. Haney and court costs adjudged herein, which said indebtedness and court costs are adjudged in this action, and it will be sold as a whole because of the indivisibility of said property.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing 6 percent interest from date, with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 2d day of May, 1939.  
HARLEN MURPHY, Master Commissioner Morgan Circuit Court.  
Nickell & Nickell, Attorneys.

NOTICE OF SALE  
OF ELECTRIC FRANCHISE  
On the 22d day of May, 1939, the

Board of Trustees of the city of West Liberty, Kentucky, adopted a resolution directing the sale at public auction an electric franchise. This resolution is in words and figures as follows:

**A RESOLUTION FOR THE SALE OF A FRANCHISE FOR ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER SYSTEM**  
WHEREAS, it appears that it is to the interest of the public that there be erected and operated in the city of West Liberty an electric light and power system;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES of the city of West Liberty, Kentucky:

Section 1: That there be sold at public auction to the highest and best bidder, the right, privilege, franchise and authority to acquire, maintain, construct and operate in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places (as the same now exist or may hereafter be laid out) of the city of West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, lines, poles and equipment for the distribution of electric energy either by means of overhead or underground conductors, with all the necessary or desirable appurtenances for the purpose of supplying energy to said city and the inhabitants thereof, and persons or corporations beyond the limits thereof, for light, heat, power and any other purpose or purposes for which electric energy is now or may hereafter be used, and for the transmission of the same within, through or across the said city.

Section 2: Said lines and appurtenances shall be constructed so as to interfere as little as possible with the proper use of the streets, alleys and public places. The location of all poles or conduits shall be made under the supervision of the proper board or committee of the city government.

Section 3: The rights, privileges and franchise hereby granted shall be in force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years from the date of the confirmation of any sale had under this ordinance.

Section 4: The purchaser shall save the city harmless from any and all liability arising in any way from negligence in the erection, maintenance or operation of said lines and appurtenances.

Section 5: Whenever the purchaser shall begin the erection of any lines or other equipment, it shall promptly and diligently prosecute the work to completion and leave the streets, alleys and public places where such work is done in as good condition of repair as before such work was commenced.

Section 6: Whenever in this order either the city of West Liberty or the grantee is referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors or assigns of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations herein contained by or on behalf of said city or by or on behalf of said grantee shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective successors or assigns of said city or said grantee, whether so expressed or not.

Section 7: This franchise shall be accepted by the grantee within sixty (60) days from the date of the order granting it.

II.  
The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

III.  
The City Clerk of West Liberty be, and he is hereby, directed, after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale and the rights to be sold by posting five (5) written or printed notices, one at the front door of the courthouse, and one in four (4) other public places in the city, the first date of posting such notices to be at least fifteen (15) days before the date of sale, and by publishing the same in The Licking Valley Courier for not less than three (3) consecutive issues next before the date of sale, to offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the courthouse in the city of West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the morning and 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, on some convenient date to be named in such notices and advertisements; and receive bids at public outcry for the right, privilege, franchise and authority to erect and operate an electric light and power system in said city, as set forth above.

No person, however, shall be entitled to bid on such franchise unless such person shall deposit with the clerk before the commencement of the bidding a certified check for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars; and said franchise shall be sold for cash in hand, and such certified check shall not be returned until the amount of the bid has actually been paid to the clerk in cash.

IV.  
The clerk will report his acts, together with all bids received by him for such franchise, to the Board of Trustees at its next regular or adjourned or called meeting to be held immediately after such sale.

Pursuant to the direction of the Board of Trustees of the city of West Liberty, as set forth in the foregoing resolution, the undersigned will on Friday, the 19th day of May, 1939, at the front door of the courthouse in the city of West Liberty, Kentucky, and between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the morning and 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, offer for public sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder an electric franchise in, above, under, across and along the streets, thoroughfares, alleys, bridges and public places of West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, which electric franchise shall be in the terms set forth in the foregoing resolution, and said sale to be made in all respects in accordance with the resolution above set forth, and all bidders will be required to comply with the terms of such resolution.

WITNESS, A. P. GULLETT, City Clerk of the city of West Liberty, Kentucky, this 3rd day of May, 1939.  
A. P. GULLETT, City Clerk, West Liberty, Kentucky.

#### Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.  
John H. Davis and Vergie Davis and John H. Davis, Guardian for Mabel Francis Davis, Plaintiff

VS.  
Onlie Kash, Verna Kash and Mabel Francis Davis, Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Morgan Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1939, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 22d day of May, 1939, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit: That said tract of land is situated in the town of Ezel, Morgan county, Kentucky, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the center of Liberty street near the Northeast corner of the United Presbyterian high school lot, thence an east course to Liberty street to Broadway street; thence a south course with Broadway street to Mill street; thence southwest with Mill street to the present line of the United Presbyterian school property; thence north with said school property to the beginning corner at Liberty street containing one acre being the same more or less.

This judgment was rendered in favor of John H. Davis and Vergie Davis, be awarded 135-140ths, Olney Kash and Verna Kash be awarded 4-140ths and Mabel Francis Davis be awarded 1-140th of sale price of said land, the cost of this action be borne by each of the parties hereto in proportion as their respective interest appear above.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing 6 percent interest from date, with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 1st day of May, 1939.  
HARLEN MURPHY, Master Commissioner Morgan Circuit Court.  
James H. Davis, Attorney.

#### Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.  
Stella Fannin, Plaintiff

VS.  
Annie Perry, etc., Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Morgan Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1939, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 22d day of May, 1939, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit: An undivided one fourth interest in two lots of land lying and being in college addition to the town of West Liberty, and being lots No. 73 and 74 as mapped by W. G. Wilkins and Company and bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at the corner of Emma Salyers' lot on Glen Avenue 120 feet with Emma Salyers' line; then 80 feet northeast course, then 120 feet back to Glen Avenue; thence with said street 80 feet to the beginning, also my life estate or dower in same being the same land conveyed to C. L. Perry, first party by Onie Blankenship, and W. O. Blankenship, her husband by deed recorded in deed book No. 70 at page 47, Morgan County Clerk's office.

This judgment was rendered in favor of Stella Fannin for the amount of \$60.00, together with interest thereon from the 10th day of Nov., 1936, until paid and the cost of this action.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing percent interest from date, with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 1st day of May, 1939.  
HARLEN MURPHY, Master Commissioner Morgan Circuit Court.  
James W. Davis, Attorney.

#### Master Commissioner's Sale

MORGAN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.  
Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, Plaintiff

VS.  
Jewell Pelfrey Lemaster, et al, Defendant

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Morgan Circuit Court, rendered at the March term, 1939, in the above styled cause, I will offer for sale at the front door of the courthouse in West Liberty, Kentucky, on Monday, the 22d day of May, 1939, at 1 o'clock p.m., or thereabouts, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit: The following described real estate with its rents issues and profits situated in Morgan county and State of Kentucky, to wit: Consisting of 91.4 acres more or less on the waters of Middle Fork of Elkfork, consisting of two tracts and fully described as follows:

On the North by the lands of Clarence Smith and Peter Smith.

On the South by the lands of Oscar Smith and Frank Pelfrey.

On the East by the lands of John Wright.

On the West by the lands of Peter Smith.

The surface rights only of the above are to be sold and it is the same property which was conveyed to Lawrence Pelfrey by Frank Pelfrey, et al, by deed dated October 27, 1923, and of record in deed book 52, page 542, Morgan County Clerk's office; also by deed of correction from Flora Caskey, et al, dated March 20, 1934, and of record in deed book 67, page 245, Morgan County Clerk's office, and deed of correction dated April 2, 1934, recorded in deed book, 67 page 324, Morgan County Clerk's office, from Clarence Smith et al, and these 3 deeds are referred to for more specific descriptions of the property hereby sold.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond, bearing 6 percent interest from date with approved security, for the purchase money.

This 1st day of May, 1939.  
HARLEN MURPHY, Master Commissioner Morgan Circuit Court.  
W. M. Gardner, Attorney.

#### CANNEL C

The Cannel regular meeting for the coming Phipps, president, rick, vice president, secretary, treasurer. The president, Mr. Nickell and Mr. Burton of a talk on "The Cannel softball team."

Poems written "The Woodlows old Havens team."

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COURIER

CASH IN ON H Send 10c for list etc. wanted. Dur Lake, Iowa.

Guaranteed Nan an Potato Plants. 5,000, \$4.25; 10,000, \$7.50; 20,000, \$12.00. Gleason, Tenn.

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(Under Auspices of Ova O. Haney, County Supt.)

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G. I. FANNIN  
County Clerk of Morgan County

FOR REPAIR  
Morehead, - - - - - Kentucky

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## SALES



## CANNEL CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Arzie Williams of Caney were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gorse Williams.

Mrs. Larry Morehead of Eekersville, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vance are visiting Mrs. Vance's mother, Mrs. Martha Risner, of Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sebastian of West Liberty were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Sebastian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Briscoe.

Loretta Collins and Irene Williams of this place spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arza Williams of Caney.

Good luck to the Courier and its many readers. A PAL

## MAYTOWN AND GREASY

May 8.—Mrs. C. S. Jackson, who was operated on one day last week at Lexington, is improving nicely.

Willard Ingram, who was operated on at Lexington for goiter, is improving.

R. A. Childers and daughter, Mrs. Grace Berford and a Miss Gibbs of Mt. Sterling and Jeffersonville were visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jim Ingram.

Mrs. J. M. Rowland and son, Marion, and Mrs. J. W. Easterling, and son and daughter, Delmon and Sylvia were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Spradling and family at Wellington Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clarice Lacy and children left Saturday for Dayton, Ohio, to join her husband, Vurl.

Mrs. Fred May of Grassy Creek spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dorrie Ingram.

## CANNEL CITY

May 8.—Mrs. Jim Lawson and little son of Ashland and Mrs. Louise Watson of Youngstown, Ohio, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Benton.

Mrs. Mike Benton and Mrs. Donnie Patrick are visiting Mrs. Benton's mother at Blackey.

Ernest Allen is leaving for the Navy this week.

Joyce Henry, who is attending school at Morehead, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Earle Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lacy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Davis of Caney.

Cleve and Dorcie Benton of Lohair spent Thursday afternoon with J. W. Benton.

Mrs. Katie Sebastian, who spent the winter in California, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Peyton and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stamper spent the week end with relatives at Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sebastian and children of West Liberty spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sebastian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bailey and children of Ashland, spent the week end with Mr. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey. GUESS WHO

## WHITE OAK

Rev. Harlen Murphy, who is pastor of the church here, filled his regular appointment and a large crowd attended.

Mrs. T. C. May, Mildred May and son, Raymond Scott, of West Liberty, were the dinner guests of Miss Lula Allen and Minnie Lacy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGuire of Ashland visited Mrs. McGuire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vance, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

The survey of the Kentucky and West Virginia Power Company is almost completed from Salyersville to West Liberty. They say that they will have the line completed and in operation by August 1.

S. H. May spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Mack Cooper, who now lives at White Oak.

Mrs. Irene Williams has returned to her home in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Miss Margaret Minix of this place is visiting her brother, Homer Minix, of Jackson.

Harris and Woody Howard are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Howard, of this place.

Jennie May of West Liberty attended church here Sunday and was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. May.

Hazel Lykins of this place is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bal Whitt, of Roy-alton.

Miss Wanda Adkins attended the high school day at Morehead Friday.

Miss Juanita May spent Friday night with Miss Mary Evelyn May of West Liberty after returning from a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio. She reported an enjoyable time.

W. B. Pratt of this place made a business trip to West Liberty Saturday.

The Gorman Construction Company, who has the contract of resurfacing the highway between the Magoffin line and West Liberty have moved in and begun work.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little and Rev. Gathman of Stacy Fork attended church here Sunday. BLUE EYES

## BETHEL CHAPEL

Misses Jean and Delma Stacy spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burton and daughter, Janice, of West Liberty.

Marvin Stacey, who had been staying here with his mother, while she has been seriously ill, left Tuesday for Clintonville.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burton and daughter, Janice, of West Liberty, visited awhile Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Burton's mother and sister, Mrs. Renny Stacey and daughter, Jean, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May and son, Pat, of Hazel Green spent Sunday with Mrs. May's parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lewis and daughters, Hilda and Daryl Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carver had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taulbee and daughters, Misses Ruth, Fairy and Gloria Faith, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Haney and daughter, Delma.

Mrs. Renny Stacey and daughter, Jean, and Mrs. J. M. Stacey and daughter, Edith, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd and grandson, Darvin Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Lacy, Jr. spent the week end with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler and son, James Jackson II of North Middletown.

Mrs. Jane Vance of White Oak who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Stacey, of this place, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elam and Mr. Elam's mother, Mrs. Nannie Elam, of this place. TOOTS

## MOSSY BOTTOM

Ranzy Hamilton and sons, Hager and Buster, had business in Ashland Saturday.

Courtney Spars of Middletown, Ohio, has been spending a few days here with his brother, Ford Spears, and family.

Tom Childers, Tof Spears, Wilma Hamilton and Georgie Pelfrey spent Thursday eve with Neva Mae and Myrtle Cantrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hamilton to Beaver Creek Monday.

German Ross was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perk Ratliff are re-joining over the arrival of a new girl—Phillis Ann.

Tommy Allen of Prater visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton, Saturday to announce the arrival of a new girl at his home—Betty Sue.

The Coal Run ball team played Black Berry team Sunday. Coal Run defeated Black Berry 10-3.

Mr. and Mrs. Elex Cantrell had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton and son, Dorn, Misses Mattie Lou, Wilma, Dot Hamilton, Elmo Spears and Georgia Pelfrey.

Alva and Ester Smith of Cow Pen visited on Weddington Branch Sunday and attended the ball game at Pikeville.

Miss Creacie Ratliff of Mossy Bottom, spent the week end at Shelby.

Mrs. Lowe, postmaster of Mossy Bottom, is having her house remodelled. POLL

## FLORESS

May 10.—Carl Adams, who had been visiting in West Virginia returned home one day last week.

Buel Nickell, who had been visiting friends at Portsmouth, Ohio, returned home Sunday. He was accompanied home by Johnnie and Malcom Nickell, who spent Sunday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Nickell, of this place.

Earl Jr. Fife, who had been in a CCC camp in Idaho, returned home recently.

Delmer and Euna Williams and Eulene Patrick were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Williams of this place gave a pound party Saturday night. Several people attended the party and Mr. and Mrs. Williams received several pounds. The evening was spent by dancing and playing music. The crowd departed at a late hour declaring they had had a swell time.

Mrs. Henry Lykins and children of Indiana are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frederick, of this place.

Euna Williams who is attending school at West Liberty spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Nickell and children, Garland Dean and Glens Joyce, of West Liberty, were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Nickell.

Mrs. Mamie Tyree and daughter, Lola, of War Creek, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Easterling of this place.

Mrs. Gerta Fife and daughter, Hallagene, of Betsy Layne, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins, of this place.

Cassie Gilliam of West Liberty was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frederick, Sunday. BLUE EYES

## SPAWS CREEK

May 9.—J. K. Patrick of Portsmouth, visited Mrs. Nola Patrick and family Friday night of last week.

Ruth Johnston of this place visited friends and relatives at Florress last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams of Dingus, Rollie Cox of Ashland, and Clarence Cox of Dingus visited uncle J. T. Blevins, who stays with his daughter, Mrs. Maggie Endicott.

Leslie Cateron of this place spent Saturday night with Robert and Herbert May.

## GRASSY CREEK

May 10.—Grant Nickell, who has been ill several months, shows little improvement.

Noel Davis Gevedon is confined to his room this week with mumps.

J. W. Haney is having a large tobacco barn built.

J. M. Gevedon and daughter, Helena, and J. L. Gevedon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Byrd and family. Mrs. Byrd is quite ill.

Mrs. Ed Buchanan of Hazel Green spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jim McClure, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spurlock and Paul Patton of Morehead visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Patton, Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Centerville during the week end.

## MIDDLE FORK

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchinson and little son, Edwin Dave, of Crockett, were visiting relatives here last Saturday.

Mrs. Ann Gilliam and niece, Matilda Roseberry, of Crockett, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. John Wright and daughter, Lizzie.

Miss Sally Smith, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Eldon Holbrook, at Lenox, returned home.

Joseph Lemaster of Crockett was visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cox of Elamton were visiting here Sunday.

Clarence Smith and Aukie Day went to West Liberty last Saturday on business.

Prof. Otis McGuire passed thru here Sunday enroute to Crockett, where he is teaching high school.

Breulah Lemaster and daughter, Brenice, Sally Smith, Lizzie Wright and Matilda Roseberry were the Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Mollie Day.

Robert and Leonard Smith went to Richmond last Friday.

## HOLLIDAY

May 8.—I am wondering if our young people can fully adjust themselves to our fast changing civilization, which requires so much thoughtful concentrating along many social lines if their lives are to be guided along spiritual lines which would keep them out of crime and evil associates. New roads in some instances are the means of causing more crime and lawlessness, if community centers as church and Sunday school are neglected. We cannot fully say that roads are not a blessing if they are the means of allowing the better classes of high thinking people to visit that community. If youth could be trained to appreciate the good, respect others, love the noble things, then Morgan county would be the Eutopia which the good people are desiring to enjoy in this world.

This community is always ready to welcome Yandal Wraether, our County Agent, who has organized a 4-H club work here, as he seems so interested in helping the boys and girls to make every possible improvement in their farm and home work.

The farmers here are very busy at present preparing their soils for their corn crops, which will be planted soon; by better farming methods the farmer's outlook is more promising.

James Oney, who was 77 years old, celebrated his birthday last week May 6. He is in very good health for a man of his age and loves to work on the farm.

These people went to Pikeville to try to get on construction work near White Oak last week: Sam Salyer, Bill Holliday, Park Lykins, Charles Holliday, O. G. Gullett, Arnold Holliday, Orrel Arnett. They all seem to want work very badly. Why shouldn't any man who desires work have it?

The following persons, were in West Liberty on business last week: Ray Vance, Edward Vance, Edward Holliday, Harrison Holliday, Willie Holliday.

Martie Lewis and wife, Veneda, of Caney, were visiting relatives here over the week end.

The following persons were at Salyersville on business last week: Alex Holliday, Ronal Dingus, wife and daughter and son.

It seems to me that our county paper, under the supervision of Mr. Brong, is getting better all the while. Even children can hardly wait for it to come in to see the news. BLUE EYES

## CHAPEL

Miss Maggie McClure of Grassy had for dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Abbot and son, Walter Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Ovar Amyx.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Goodpaster had for dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. J. Phelps of Winchester and Russell Wells of West Liberty.

Euna Goodpaster returned to her home on Grassy Saturday after a five weeks visit in Winchester with relatives. She reported having a fine time.

Lucian Patrick of Mt. Sterling spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Estill Walters, of Grassy.

Nova Goodpaster spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Goodpaster all of Grassy. WIGGS

## FLAT WOODS

Mr. and Mrs. Rannie Robison of McRoberts spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox and families.

Miss Myrtle Osborne, who had been visiting her brother, Garland Osborne, and family, at Ashland returned home Saturday accompanied by her brother and family.

J. B. May and son, J. B. Jr., were in Lexington Saturday.

Mrs. Wilma Wells and Mrs. Jennie May visited at Licking River Sunday.

Little Janice Gose was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. G. B. Cox, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cox and daughter, Helen, were the guests of Mrs. Martha Brooks Sunday.

Frank May of White Oak was in this section on business the first of the week. UNCLE ZIP

## STACY FORK

May 11.—Hendricks R. Canida, a senior of the Berea college, spent Sunday thru Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Buford C. Lykins of Caney.

James Phipps, first aid boy at the CCC camp at McKee, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leborn Phipps.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton D. Ferguson of Paintsville, spent the week end here with Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Burton. Mrs. Dakota R. Ferguson and children joined them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ratliff of Ashland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Arnett of West Liberty spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Ratliff.

Miss Lena Wray Haney, a student of the M. S. T. C., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Steele and son of Malone, spent Sunday with Mrs. Steele's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hager Arnett.

Best wishes to the Courier and its many readers! A PAL

## DINGUS

May 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Auty Bradley and children, Pauline, Paul and Phillis, of Ashland, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bradley. Also Mrs. Bradley and daughter, Pauline, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Dawson, at Florress, who is very sick.

J. K. Patrick of Portsmouth, Ohio, visited relatives and friends and spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. W. T. Bradley, and attended church at Union Sunday.

W. C. Bradley and children, Wendell and Reva, were at Ashland Sunday evening and Monday went to the Portsmouth hospital and visited Jack Williams, who has been in the hospital for several months, from being run over with a hit and run car in Ohio. It is thought he will be out within the next few days. He is getting along fine now.

Offa Williams visited his brother, Jack Williams, at the Portsmouth hospital Monday.

Miss Reva Bradley was delighted to have three of her school mates from West Liberty High School, to come and spend the week end with her. Misses Christine Ferguson, Edna Elam and Mary Belle Johnson. We all enjoyed their company and will be glad to see them come back.

Willie Smith and son, Roy, were in Waverly, Ohio, Sunday night.

Burtie Bradley of Ashland spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bradley.

Earl Bradley of Paintsville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bradley Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Williams of Ashland visited his mother, Mrs. Susan Williams, Saturday night.

Donald Ferguson of Dayton, Ohio, was calling on friends Sunday.

W. H. Holbrook of Ashland visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holbrook, and Mrs. Fred McClain and children of Lenox visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bradley Sunday evening.

Verna Lacy and sons, Bernard and Guy, of West Liberty, were calling on her aunt, Mrs. Paulina Williams, Friday.

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## MONUMENTS

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## AUCTION

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